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TITLE: Portable computer housing with detachable keyboard

- has hinge

assemblies permitting rear and forward housing portions to

be articulated

w.r.t. each other and with base

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BASIC-ABSTRACT:

The keyboard is connected to the base section by detachable connectors. A top

section is disposed over the top wall of the base and hinged to a rear portion

of the base. The top portion is a two-part articulated section defining a rear

housing and a forward housing secured by a second hinge assembly. A screen

area is provided in the inner face of the forward housing portion.

The hinge assemblies permit the housing portions to be articulated w.r.t. one another and with the base to position the portions flat over a top wall of the support base section or at desired angles. The keyboard section, when connected, is coextensive with the base section, when disconnected, is used as a lap top keyboard.

ADVANTAGE - Keyboard can be used separately making it more comfortable to use.

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